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First Dramatic Play Produced in Empress by Local Talent--
Monday Night, June 7, Grand Theatre--To be followed by
Shirt Waist Dance--Proceeds in Aid of the
Soldier's Tobacco Fund

A large crowd is expected to attend the performance of "The Old Oaken Bucket," to be given by the Empress Dramatic Club next Monday night.

The play is a drama in four acts, and has a cast of fourteen characters, and will last two and a half hours. Also the specialties between acts will be exceptionally good, and will include some of the latest songs, a miniature minstrel show, a fish story, etc. The artists have one and all worked hard at rehearsals and their acting is excellent. Great pains have been taken in the small details, and the scenery in each act has been carefully prepared.

The curtain rises in the first act and shows the farmyard at the Hardacre farm. Reuben Hardacre, known to everyone as Uncle Reuben, lives happily with his good old wife, his son, Tom, and two orphan relatives, Lizzie and Emily Lawrence. Mark Hayward arrives on the

scene, a book agent and a man of education, not incidentally a hypocrite and the villain of the play. Arthur Ames, a young artist, comes upon the old-fashioned well. He is honorable and much in love with Teddy, but very poor in the world's goods. Jake Tompkins is a hired man, and Sapphira Scroggins, a mischief-making, gossip old maid, Mrs. G. White, Mrs. Jones, Ezra Babb and Rev. Wm. Mason, make up the cast. The country dance in the last act is very good. The curtain falls on the final drama "The Old Oaken Bucket"--with peace in the little community and happiness to those beloved by good old Reuben and his dear old wife.

A Shirt Waist Dance will follow the play. Music by the Empress 3-piece orchestra. The proceeds of the evening will be devoted to the soldier's tobacco fund, which we are sure is a very commendable object.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

REUBEN HARDACRE A square, honest old farmer
TOM His son, a chip of the old block
ARTHUR AMES True Blue
MARK HAYWARD A wolf in sheep's clothing
JAKE TOMPKINS In love with Teddy, not wisely but too well
MR. G. WHILLIKENS A Neighbor
EZRA BABB The Postmaster, who reads the postal cards
REV. WM. MASON The Peacemaker
MARTHA HARDACRE Reuben's Wife, loved by everybody
LIZZIE LAWRENCE The light of Uncle Reuben's eye
EMILY LAWRENCE (Otherwise known as Teddy) The Sunshine of the Household
SAPPHIRA SCROGGINS The Village Gossip
MR. G. WHILLIKENS Very Proper but Not Charitable
MIRY JONES The Village Belle

The Soldier's Cigarette

"AN APPEAL"

WE'RE for away fighting for Britain and you. And all that men can do, we're willing to do--For the Empire upon which the sun never sets, If you'll help us along with a few cigarettes

Oh boys, you can bet it seems a bit rough in those poor silent trenches without "just a puff"! Waiting and watching and fighting, but yet Not a taste or a smell of a wee cigarette.

We don't mind the work and we're ready to fight. We can do without food if the "Cap," says "All right"; But there's one thing we long for, so please don't forget To help us by sending a small cigarette.

Nights and days in the trenches with water knee-deep We can do without fire and with but little sleep; Shrapnel bursting overhead from the dawn till sunset We will fight till we drop for a small cigarette

We left our home comforts, we've left our friends true, All we ask is that you will remember us, too; Should we be charging Germans or chasing De Wet, We will ride straight to death for a small cigarette.

And if it is fate that in battle we fall, And death hovers over us, we hear the last call, We shan't fear the shadows, our hand won't forget, If between our set teeth we've a last cigarette.

—Journal, Gananoque

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, did deposit in the Calgary Land Titles Office on the 13th May 1915, as No. RY 865, plan profile and book of reference showing portion of its Section 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 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Dated at Winnipeg this 10th day of May, A.D. 1915.

P. McHEILSON,

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Wheat and Alfalfa 20 ins. High
Mixed Pea 12 ins. High

Some splendid specimens of wheat, alfalfa and mixed peas were brought into the Empress office by Mr. A. L. Inley from off his farm which lies west of town. All the plants were straight and upstanding and looked extremely healthy. We venture to say as good samples as one could wish to see. The wheat and alfalfa measured 20 inches in height, the mixed pea measured 12 inches in height.

As a result of the exorbitant price of beef, 200 butcher shops in Glasgow, Scotland, were closed by their doors a few days ago.

Dr. Hagey Honoured

By Fellow Masons

The local Masons honoured one of their brethren, Dr. J. W. Hagey, on Tuesday night on the eve of his departure to join the Canadian dental corps enroute to the front. A presentation of a gold fob was made accompanied by appropriate addresses and the hearty wishes for his welfare and safety while away.

Dr. Hagey holds the rank of lieutenant and is in hopes of promotion to a captaincy before sailing. The corps will mobilise at Ottawa on June 7, and Dr. Hagey purposes leaving Bassano on Monday--Bassano Mail.

Coal or Gold?

During the past few weeks there have been many whisperings current regarding a mineral discovery in the vicinity--at first it was coal, but seemed to grow more valuable with time, and rumor started--it was gold. Certain it was some of the citizens were making some very early morning auto trips. Report says that one of the interested gentlemen's presence was required in a matter of great moment. A citizen who owns an automobile was requested to try and find this gentleman, to try and find this gentleman. He succeeded in finding him in the company of his brother miners some distance from town on the ground of the discovery, so the report says.

We wish our friends every success with their discovery, and hope that it may prove to be of value.

Better Farming Train To

Visit Empress on June 26

A better farming train is to be run by the Saskatchewan Dept. of Agriculture, co-operating with the Provincial College of Agriculture and the C.P.R. The train will visit Empress on June 26, and can be visited by the general public between the hours of 7 and 10 p.m. The train will consist of eight or more cars which will comprise a field crops section, farm machinery section, model and building matter section, boys and girls' section.

Dogs Put Up Game

Fight With Badger

Mr. A. Vaneleuve was a visitor to the Express office on Thursday, June 3. From the saddle of his horse he had suspended the carcass of a badger. He stated that he had been riding north of the river accompanied by his two hounds, the hounds caught sight of the badger and immediately took to their heels. The badger fought hard but the dogs held grimly to their task. Mr. Vaneleuve had no weapon with him, and it took him some considerable time to find a rock with which to stun the badger. The dog, however, came in and in spite of being badly mauling hung to their quarry which was finally vanquished with the aid of a piece of rock.

July 1st Celebration

The Empress Board of Trade are this week issuing large posters announcing July 1st celebration. The program includes horse racing, cowboy stunts, relay races, mile race, harness race, slow automobile race, baseball tournament, foot races, and concluding with a monster dance in the evening.

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A. HANKIN, Editor

C. E. SEXTON, Associate Editor

FRIDAY, JUNE 4th, 1915

Hail Insurance

Too often we do not see our mistakes until it is too late to rectify them. When a hail storm strikes our uninsured crops, we wonder how we could have been so shortsighted as to leave ourselves unprotected in this direction. Many farmers owe the embarrassment of debt and even loss of their farms to such neglect as is implied here. But it was ever thus. It would seem that everyone, and particularly those who are carrying a load of debt, either small or large, cannot fail to hesitate in this matter. Interest, and probably principal must be met. Operating expenses must be paid. A reserve must be planned for so that next year's operations are not hampered by lack of funds. These are doubtfully important when we place all our eggs in one basket. When live stock is being neglected and tired and when grain alone is being depended on.

Municipal hail insurance should, we believe, be supported by every farmer within the range of the respective provincial acts. The cost per acre is very small and in the event of a year free from hail, the resulting crop will not permit us to feel the drain of a small insurance fee. But let a storm crop our best summerfallow crop, and how comforting it is to know that we had something in that crop that could not be touched by the hail. Many intelligent farmers, in addition to carrying municipal insurance, insure in private companies. They feel that the few dollars per thousand required is money well spent. They realise that they are co-operating in the protection of themselves and their neighbors from loss, and doing so with so little expense that they do not object to the outlay after they have given the subject serious consideration.

It is impossible to sidetrack or avoid a hail storm if it is coming our way. It is impossible to avoid it as we often avoid frost by sowing an early maturing variety on the first

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to the powers conferred by "The Livestock Stable Keepers Ordinance," being Chapter 57 of the Consolidated Ordinances, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Livery Barn of Messrs. Galloway & Pullen, in the Village of Empress, Province of Alberta, at 3.30 in the afternoon on Wednesday, 3rd June, 1915, One Grey Five Year Old Horse, weighing about 1650 lbs., belonging to Alexander Amell, sometime of Empress, but whose present address is to the subscribers unknown. The amount of the indebtedness due the subscribers for stabling said horse is \$800.00.

For the expositors **GALLOWAY & PULLEN.**

GORDON CAMPBELL,
Barrister, Empress.

bright spring day. Why not then, adopt the only means at our disposal to guard against a possible loss, knowing that although we do not find it necessary to collect this year, some one in another district may face a loss, similar to that which we have faced in the past or may face some time in the not distant future? It is a large subject in that it must be looked at from a provincial standpoint, and not as individuals, and confined to a single year. If every farmer with a crop to protect would look at hail insurance in this way there would be few acres of this year's crop left uninsured.—Country Life.

Leaders From Leland

June 3rd
"What is so rare as a day in June!"

Messrs. F. C. Rodgers and H. B. Judd spent Sunday at Prolate, Sask.

A baby boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Moore at Sharrow. He will undoubtedly prove an able assistant in the farming operations

on the Moore farm.

Mr. A. L. Insley made a trip by auto to Oyen and adjacent towns last week on matters of business.

The Range 4 boys will meet one another on the field next Thursday afternoon. The boys will encounter no barbed wire entanglements while here unless it be on the way home.

Mr. H. J. Moore is in bed with an injured limb caused by an unruly horse. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Messrs. Robson and Cusack, of Empress, were out writing up insurance last Thursday and stopped at Leland long enough to take in the reception for Rev. Mr. Pinder.

Mr. T. E. Rudd canvassed a greater part of the country Saturday in quest of signatures on a petition for the pleuing of a station on 28-22-2 midway between Sharrow and Bindloss. The instigators of this movement contend that a better town will be insured if a station is placed at this point instead of at the other two places. The idea seems to meet with great favor here as well as across the Saskatchewan river. A. L. Insley and others will present the petition to the C.P.R. officials at Medicine Hat this week.

While attempting to break a horse a week ago, Goldwin Jarvis was thrown from the cart, resulting in an injured knee. He was assured by Dr. Eager that no bones were broken, but will be "under the weather" with the sick member for some time.

The Ladies Aid Society gave a reception to the new pastor, Rev. C. S. Pinder, last Thursday evening at "the church." A good program was furnished by the young people and, say, you never saw so many good things to eat in your life—excepting, of course, at home.

Mr. Robert McFarlane re-

turned to his homestead last week from Sharrow and commenced housekeeping immediately. Yes sir, "Scottie" is married! He and Mrs. McFarlane will spend the summer months here.

May 29th

If our team did have a "bum" eye and a broken suspender they played a good game and came home with five points in their favor. Some of the boys stayed for the dance and came home with a little uncertainty as to the whereabouts of the road. Quite a number went out to witness the game and Pauca turned out—all hands and the cook; and excitement

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New C.P.R. Time-Table

Swift Current - Empress

Arrives Empress, Mondays
Wednesdays and Fridays
leaves following day

7.30 lv. Swift Current	ar. 16.50
8.00	Juan
8.25	Cantuar
9.10	Success
9.50	Pennant
10.15	Batram
10.50	Cabri
11.35	Shackleton
12.10 ar.	Abbey
12.45 lv.	
13.20	Lancer
13.50	Portreeve

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14.15	Lensford	9.43
14.50	Scottie	9.13
15.20	Prolate	8.45
15.55	Prussia	8.15
16.25	Westerman	7.50
17.05	Estuary	7.20
18.00 ar.	Empress	lv. 6.45

Empress - Bassano

Arrives Mondays and Thursdays only. Leaves following day.

7.30 lv. Empress	ar. 16.30
8.05	Sharrow
8.30	Bindloss
9.07	Paucares
9.45	Buffalo
10.13	Majestic
10.35	Atlas
11.06	Halsbury
11.26	Jerner
11.48	Idesleigh
12.16	Denhart
12.41	Princess
13.04	Patricia
13.24	Millicent
13.47	Duchess
14.20	Rosemary
14.50	Countess
15.30	Bassano

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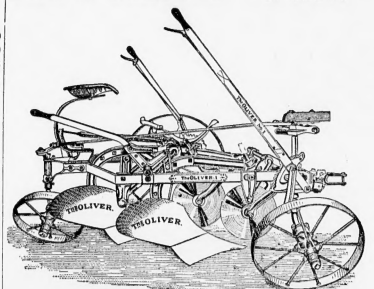
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Name

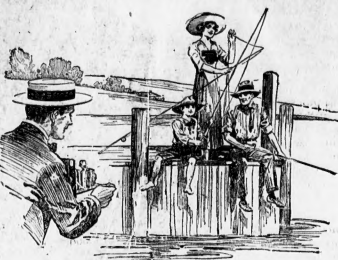
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Beginning on May 1st, 1915, our books will be closed to all and 'A STRICT CASH BUSINESS' will be enforced. All customers who find it inconvenient to pay cash at each purchase can buy a \$5.00 credit ticket for \$4.50, payable in advance. We are compelled to take these steps as we have to pay in advance for all meat products that we sell. Please do not ask us for credit as we must refuse.

The Empress Meat Market

THE PEDIGREE OF THE STALLION BOGTON PRINCE

(Imp.) (12151) (10171) Described as follows:

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Manager, A. L. INSLEY.

LEARNERS FROM LELAND (continued from centre page) now high. All report a good time.

Miss Olive Savic went back to the Sandy Point S. D. Tuesday, to take another month on to the term of school in that district, having been instructed thus since her return.

Miss Mona Insley came down from Banton last Thursday and spent a few days at her home here. She returned on Monday to resume her duties as teacher near that place.

The choir and others were entertained at the Insley home Saturday evening in honor of Miss Gladys Insley's birthday. Singing occupied most of the evening, after which delicious refreshments were served. (Not forgetting the ice-cream. In fact, George has been dreaming of snow-slides ever since.)

Mr. Stanley Ferguson arrived in the evening.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mrs. R. M. Henderson was in-dissolved on Wednesday.

Mr. J. McNeill left for Calgary on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Lundie, of Panacea, was a visitor to town on Monday.

Conductor Moorhead is again in charge of the mixed train from the east.

Mrs. J. R. Mitchell, from Hill Cappon Valley, was an Empress visitor the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Blodgett and baby son returned to town on Friday last.

Mr. W. M. Galbraith, who has been staying in town for several days, left on Tuesday for Winnipeg.

Mr. Norman S. King, rep. Great West Life Insurance Co., was a business visitor to town for a few days this week.

Mr. H. E. Beattie, automobile license inspector was a visitor to town on Saturday, looking up delinquent automobile owners who had not taken out their license for 1915.

Mr. Wm. Muckenhim, who is the owner of a big farm at Staveland, Alberta, spent a few days in town the first of this week, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stritzel.

Mr. C. O. Carlson, returned on Friday last from a business trip to White Horse, Colorado. Mr. Carlson reports general business in this part of the States as good, with the crops, farmers and trees looking their very best.

Owing to the absence of the Rev. J. M. Waggett, there will be no Union Church Service on Sunday, June 6. The service on the following Sunday, June 13th, will be conducted by the Rev. W. C. Washington.

Sambo—I hear that Joe Anderson is selling out, Rastus—Yes! The Lumber Co. that he buys his stock from, has got over 200,000,000 ft. of lumber at their mills in the mountains, and they insist that he sell as much lumber as he possibly can.

Word received of J. Pease and Ed. Hower informs us that they are both at work on the Government elevator at Calgary. We also hear that the grass in that district is 7 in. in height. Mr. Pease is hopeful of securing contract work on the McLeod railway grade which is now being built by the Northern Construction Co.

Mr. J. N. Anderson of the Empress Lumber Yard (Lundie & Anderson) dealers in lumber and building materials, wishes to inform the general public that he has taken over Mr. C. Lundie's interest in this business. The yard is now under his control. So, if you need lumber or building material, don't fail to see "Joe," he can give you the prices and assures you a square deal.

Messrs. J. M. Franklin and Z. Livermore who have been staying in the Aylesbury district, 45 miles north of Regina—during the winter months, left there on the 18th ultimo with a team and wagon. Their route lay via Moosejaw and Elbow, and they arrived in Empress a few days ago. Having every opportunity to study crop conditions en route, they assert that all the way, crops were in even good condition. In the Elbow and Moosejaw districts they were a little above the average, being on a par with the crops south-west of Empress.

Mr. D. McEachern left on a business trip to Calgary.

Mr. G. R. M. Stritzel, left on a business trip to Panacea on Thursday.

Mrs. O. L. Kiel, left by automobile on a trip to Medicine Hat on Thursday.

Mr. R. Parker left on Thursday on a visit to his parents at Medicine Hat.

Messrs. A. A. May, F. J. Clark and G. C. Harper were Empress visitors on Tuesday.

Miss F. H. Schiltz, of Alaska, is a visitor to town this week being the guest of her brother, Mr. J. Schiltz.

Government buyers of remount horses are due in Empress on Monday and Tuesday June 14 and 15.

Rexall Orderlies are a specific for the bowel troubles of aging people. Sold only by Geo. L. Brown, The Rexall Store, 10c, 25c, and 50c boxes.

Mr. D. G. Geddes, of Grandin, N. Dakota was a visitor to town on Wednesday, and left for Panacea by auto on Thursday.

Messrs. J. N. Anderson and R. G. McIntyre returned from a business trip by automobile to Glasgow, Montana on Friday of last week.

Thursday, was a very rainy day, but the rain did not deter a team of Empress baseball juniors from journeying to Prussia by automobile, to do battle with the junior ball team there.

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